

Wedding Bells

GODDARD - MACKAY

A very pretty double ring wedding was solemnized by Rev. L. Knudson at Sharon Lutheran Church, Irma, on Wednesday afternoon, June 30, when Miss Joan Mackay, fourth daughter of Mrs. Frank Withall and the late Mr. John Mackay, became the bride of Mr. Edward Frank Goddard, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. (Ted) Goddard of Wainwright.

The bride entered the church on the arm of her oldest brother, Jack Mackay, to the strains of the Wedding March played by her sister, Mrs. E. Forsburg of Gwynne, Alta. The bride looked beautiful in a white gown of lace and net over bridal satin. The lace bodice featured a sweetheart neckline and lily point sleeves and was embroidered with sequins and pearls. Her fingertip veil was held in place by a coronet of orange blossoms. Her only jewellery was a three strand pearl necklace, a gift of the groom. She carried a bouquet of red roses.

Miss Mackay was attended by her sister Lily and Marion Lovig. Their gowns were identical of blue nylon taffeta. They wore headresses of matching blue net with blue flower bandeaus. They each carried nosegays of white carnations.

Mr. Goddard chose as his attendants, his brother Gordon, and Mr. John Ford. For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Withall chose mauve and white figured nylon with white accessories and a white carnation corsage. The groom's mother wore red silk jersey trimmed with white and white accessories. Her corsage was also white carnations.

The guests were ushered to their pews by Mr. Don Mackay and Mr. Stan Murray. During the signing of the register the bride's maid, Mrs. Berg of Gwynne sang "O Perfect Love."

A reception was held following the ceremony at the bride's home where some thirty-five relatives and close friends sat down to a most delicious supper. The bride's table was laid with white linen. The three tiered wedding cake, made and decorated by Mrs. Stan Murray, was placed on a hand cradled centre piece and was flanked on either side by tall white taper and vases of mauve and white lilacs. The room was tastefully decorated with pink and white streamers and white bells. Mrs. Stan Murray proposed the toast to the bride to which the groom ably responded.

Miss Irene Younker and Mrs. Murray were in charge of the reception assisted by the bride's sisters, Mrs. Berg and Mrs. Forsburg of Gwynne and Mrs. Larson of Irma.

Following a dance at Gilt Edge the happy couple left for a short honeymoon to Calgary. For travelling the bride wore a wine suit with white accessories and a grey top coat. On their return they will reside in Wainwright.

Kiefer's SHOWS

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Northern Nuggets

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Owen Moore (nee Iva Currie) of Edmonton on June 30, a son, Glen Ivan.

We are sorry to hear that Mr. Pete Kellar is a hospital patient this week.

Looks as though summer is really here at long last, with the hot weather and people coming and going on holidays. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Parsons and daughter are visitors at the S. Coulman home, while Mrs. Vic Johnson who came with her husband and little boys at the long week-end plans to spend a holiday visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Erle Prior.

Maurice Miller is away to the United Church boy's camp at Lake Whitney, east of Elk Point, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles DeTro and family and Mrs. M. Clelland were visitors at the Louis Larson home recently as was Louise's niece from the coast and her husband.

Messrs. Leigh and Ivan Currie were city visitors last week. Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Cox and girls returned with them to visit for some time.

Messrs. Earl Guy and Ted Prior were city visitors on Monday.

Mrs. Clair Lukens entertained a large number of mothers and little ones on Sunday, Linda Lou's first birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Larson spent Saturday and Sunday in Edmonton to help Mr. Cochroft celebrate his birthday.

The Albert ball team took first prize in the softball at Wainwright on July 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Miller and Mr. John Barsa attended the R.U.A. District Convention in Vermilion last Saturday and returned home today.

Mr. R. S. Taylor and Bobbie of Edmonton are visitors at the McRoberts home for a few days this week.

The Triangle Association meeting was well attended at the Raffle tickets are being sold on a tri-light floor lamp and a bed-room lamp. The annual meeting of the Association will be held the first Monday in August at Albert, at which time officers will be elected for the coming year.

Would any ladies interested in attending one day of Farm Women's Week in Vermilion on Wednesday, July 14, please contact Mrs. R. McRoberts, the W.I. secretary. The next W.I. meeting will be one day later than usual, on Friday, July 16, at the home of Mrs. McRoberts. Hostesses, Mrs. Miller and Mrs. W. E. Ramsay. Roll call—Sunshine Bags.

Tips On Summer Foot Care

Don't let aching feet take the joy out of your vacation—whether you're spending it in the Laurentians, the Gaspé region or whatever your favorite vacation spot.

Here are a few simple rules prepared by foot doctors to keep you happy underfoot in the dog days:

Make sure that your shoes fit. If they're painfully tight, something is going to give, and the chances are it'll be your feet—and your temper. So buy shoes that are roomy up front with plenty of wiggle room for the toes, but be sure the heel counter snugly to avoid any up-and-down rubbing that chafes the skin.

See that all your shoes are made of leather, top and bottom. Leather is sturdy enough to cushion your feet on hard surfaces, yet supple and flexible enough to give them freedom of movement at the same time. Also, leather's breathing pores permit a continuous change of air inside the shoe which evaporates moisture speedily.

If your feet get really tired on summer days, soak them while in warm water mixed with a handful of epsom salts or bicarbonate of soda. Then, dry carefully between the toes.

Glen-Coa Gleanings

Our warmest congratulations and sincerest wishes for the future go to our newest newlyweds, Mr. and Mrs. F. Goddard.

A very happy and long awaited family reunion took place at the T. Larson home last Sunday. All the brothers with their respective families, as well as their mother, Mrs. A. Larson, were present. There were Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Larson, Arthur and Karen of Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. Torilif Larson, Sonja, Lorna, Leivina and John of Irma, Mr. and Mrs. Bjørn Larson, Gerry and Thelma of Edmonton, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Larson and two small daughters of Winnipeg.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fuder and children have been recent visitors to relatives and friends here. We understand that Roy is posted to Comox, B.C., so that will be their destination from here.

Sigmund Gulbrina attended the Farm Young People's Week at the Vermilion School of Agriculture.

Miss Lisa Hansen, recently come from Denmark, is employed at Steffen's.

Orville Likness is attending a Music Institute, this week at Camrose.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton and family of Edmonton are guests this week at the Geo. Fedel home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Hill and four small sons of Port Couillard visited friends here on July 2. Mrs. Hill was the former Jessie Jackman whom many of us knew when she lived in our community. It was interesting to hear about the Jackman family again and to talk about times gone by. It is 18 years since Jessie with her family left to make their home in Victoria.

OPTOMETRIST

D. A. Matheson, R.O. 205 Birks Building, Edmonton, Alta. will be in Irma at the Hotel on Monday, July 19 at 2:30 p.m. For appointment see Mr. Erickson at the Drug Store.

CHURCH SERVICES

ST. MARY'S CHURCH NOTES
The July meeting of St. Mary's W.A. will be held at the home of Mrs. F. T. Thurston on Thursday, July 22 at 3 p.m.

AVONGLLEN GOSPEL MISSION

Regular Sunday services are held at Avonglen Gospel Mission every Sunday.
Sunday School 10:45 a.m.
Worship Service 11:45 a.m.
We preach "The Book, the Blood and The Blessed Hope."
T. M. Conway, Pastor.

Southern Sayings

Visitors to the city in the past two weeks were Mr. J. Jackson and later Mr. and Mrs. R. Reber motored up accompanied by Mrs. A. Patterson of Irma and Elmer Smith of Hardisty.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Johnston and family of Edmonton are holidaying with their folks and other relations around Irma.

Mrs. Art Frye and son of Penicton, B.C., were visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Buster Reed and family last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Jackson and boys were week-end visitors at the J. Jackson home, leaving the boys to spend their holidays on the farm.

Don't forget the W.I. Grandmother's Day to be held next Thursday, July 15 at Mrs. H. Long's with a Pot Luck Lunch. Program by Mrs. Setler, Mrs. Dawson and Mrs. Cairns. Bring a grandmother.

Sympathy of the district is extended to Mr. and Mrs. R. Freind of Rosalind (nee Florence Reber) on the death of their infant son.

On a Sunday recently in June little Norren Jackson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Jackson celebrated her first birthday. Among those who gathered to honor the occasion were Mr. Frank Peterson of near Falls, B.C., Mr. and Mrs. L. M. McLeod of Wainwright, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Jackson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Swainson and family all of Sedgewick, besides Mrs. Jennie Peterson, Mr. J. H. Archibald, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Archibald, Vivian, Colleen and Irene, Mr. and Mrs. J. Jackson and Arthur at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Jackson.

Jarrow News

(Omitted Last Week)

Miss Olga Bruhaug is enjoying a four weeks holiday at the home of her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Whidden were taken completely by surprise last Friday evening when carloads of friends and neighbors came along to wish them well on their 39th wedding anniversary. The evening was spent in song songs led by Mr. G. Smith.

The Ladies Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. B. Armitage on Thursday, July 8.

On Wednesday, July 7, men of this community under the direction of Mr. R. Cormack will hold a clean-up day at the cemetery. Dinner will be served at noon by the ladies of the community.

Donation to the Cancer Fund in memory of Mr. Pat Hollar from Mr. and Mrs. A. Crouse.

Quite a number turned out at the Jarrow Hall for the weiner roast on Wednesday evening. Badminion was enjoyed in the hall. Following this there was a meeting of the community to discuss a Sports Day for Jarrow. Decision was that a sports day be held in August with a ball tournament and the usual run of attractions.

The Jarrow-Melbrae church boards met at the manse last Wednesday evening. Several matters of interest came up. One being that a combination service be held at the Melbrae school at 11:30 a.m. sometime in July with a picnic dinner to follow. The people of the Melbrae district with the help of Mr. and Mrs. Ling have recently done considerable work at the school to make it more presentable for the services which are held there each Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fuder, Marla and Murray are here from Saskatoon, visiting at the H. A. Whidden home.

The railway caboose you see on the top end of all Canadian freight trains costs close to \$20,000 to build.

The average house in Canada now costs \$12,000.

Many Holiday Visitors In Kinsella District

Mr. C. Barker spent a few days at Jasper last week. Joy and George Smith of Calgary are spending the school holidays with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. Beschell.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Greenwood and family are holidaying with relatives at Calgary and Kimberley, B.C.

Mrs. Wm. Johnston and son Ray are also visiting relatives in Calgary.

The Kinsella Branch of the O.O.R.P. celebrated their first anniversary by entertaining their husbands, and escorts, and the members of the Kinsella Elks and their lady friends at a social evening held last Monday evening, June 28. Musical selections and humorous skits were very much enjoyed. At the conclusion lunch was served and a birthday cake made by Mrs. B. Armitage centred the table. L.A.C. Murray Davis of Rivers, Manitoba, spent a leave at his home here recently.

The school term was brought to a close by the pupils and teachers of the Kinsella school holding picnics at the sports grounds.

Miss Audrey Barker is spending a vacation at Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Patterson and Marilyn left on Saturday night to attend the Calgary Stampede and continue on a motor trip to the U.S.A.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Greenwood who reside in eastern Canada visited relatives here en route to B.C.

A very successful Strawberry Supper was sponsored by the W.A. on Saturday night. The members wish to thank all those who helped make it a success.

The week-end visitors here in our district were Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Pedersen, Mr. Lowell Pedersen, Mr. and Mrs. W. Wanger and son, and Mr. and Mrs. E. Powell and Dick, Miss Nancy Beres, all of Edmonton.

Billy Lancaster celebrated his eighth birthday last Friday by entertaining several of his friends at a party.

The B.A. Service Garage formerly operated by Mr. M. Tessman has been sold to Mr. Bob Maugns of Edmonton.

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EMPLOYEES IN THE COASTAL LOUNGE AND TAVERN AT WHITEHOUSE IN THE YUKON HAVE BECOME UNIONIZED.

CANADIAN NATIONAL

Sam McGee of Northern Lights fame up Lake La Barge would turn over in his grave, perhaps at this news. Employees in the cocktail lounge and tavern at Whitehouse in the Yukon have become unionized.

Jarrow Sports Set for August 18

We were all glad to see H. McGuire home from the Viking hospital for a few days. However, he is back at the hospital again for more treatments.

Mrs. Percy Robinson of Dapp is visiting her mother Mrs. R. Whidden and other relatives in the district.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Young and family are spending their holiday at Marwayne.

Mr. and Mrs. S. McGregor and Mrs. A. McGregor of Biggar, Sask., were guests at the W. Jamieson home last Friday.

Mrs. W. Matthews of Lethbridge is visiting at the home of her son G. Matthews.

Mr. W. Lockhart attended the P.U.A. convention at Vermilion on Saturday.

Mr. Sherman is visiting at the home of his son Bob for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Sonoff and Stanley of Deville were Wednesday guests at the C. Sonoff's last week.

Mrs. Mary Lind spent the holiday week-end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jamieson.

Mrs. Clifford Meakins has taken Jeanette to Calgary for medical treatment.

The Jarrow Sports Day has been set for Wednesday, August 18, with a full line up of ball games and other attractions. Plan now to be there.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Wolda and small daughter of Edmonton are visiting at the Jamieson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Greenwood and family of Dewat, Ontario, are visiting at the H. A. Whidden home. Mrs. Whidden and Mr. Greenwood are sisters.

Two from Melbrae left on Monday morning for Boys Camp at Lake Whitney, which is north of Vermilion. Those going from Jarrow included Bert Smith, Todd Smith, Bill Lingley, Hugh McDougall, Clifton White and Gordon White.

Mr. Ling was among the cars taking the boys to camp and from there Mr. and Mrs. Ling plan on driving to Paradise Valley to visit friends, this being Mr. Ling's first student minister's field.

Worful note: Income tax came to Canada, as an emergency measure in 1917.

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WHAT OIL MEANS TO CANADA

By A. W. HANKS

Second of a series of articles on the development in Western Canada of recently discovered oil fields following a tour of the Alberta fields made through the courtesy of Imperial Oil Company. What oil is going to mean to Canada is a subject only comprehended by the average layman through the factual information and available as a result of the accumulated data of years of exploration and research by this and other companies.

We spoke last week of the oil in the underground reefs taking into solution the natural gas always formed from oil deposits and that sometimes so much gas is generated that the oil cannot take it all into solution, with the result that a gas cap forms above the oil reef. Naturally the more gas, the more pressure and so where a gas cap forms, particularly where there is an underlying water drive, already referred to, pumping is not necessary for the recovery of the oil as there is sufficient force to bring it to the top. In cases where there is not sufficient natural force artificial pumping is resorted to. Then, in fields where the pumping is necessary, you get the landscape dotted with the now familiar "horses neck pumps".

Spike method of recovery is augmented by injecting gas into the reservoir to develop pressure. Most of this gas comes from Golden Spike itself but some is imported from the Leduc Gas Conservation Plant. This is a newer method of recovery and increases the efficiency of recovery by about 15 or 20 percent. Pressure maintenance in this manner is expected to be introduced into some of the other production fields and is an important phase of the conservation efforts.

Prior to the discovery of Leduc in 1947, Canada was an oil poor nation, importing nine gallons out of every 10 used. Since Leduc, Canada is well on the way to oil self-sufficiency.

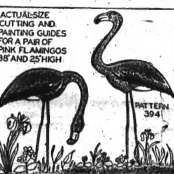
Discovery of the Leduc field, in the short seven years since, in-



Home Workshop



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PEGGY

PEGGY IT ISN'T JAZZ, POP...

ICE-FREE HIGHWAY
In New Brunswick encouraging results in creating ice-free highways have been obtained by mixing a German-invented chemical compound with the asphalt surface of a test road strip.

A memorial tablet in the city of Crenoma, Italy, marks the house where Antonio Stradivarius made his violins.

Funny and Otherwise

Through the heat and dust of a country road tramped a band of recruits, their brows wet and their tongues dry. As they passed a cozy little pub, one soldier turned to another and said wearily: "Now you know the difference between hiking and route-marching. When you route-march, you pass 'em."

"Some people are funny," mused the man in the bar. "I know a man who hadn't kissed his wife for ten years. Then he went and shot a fellow who did."

"What was the sermon about, John?"

"Marriage."

"I hope the Vicar gave you some good advice."

"I wish I knew as little about it as he does."

A shrewd manager arranged for a boxer to receive a telegram just before the start of a big fight.

The telegram was duly delivered, and read: "Win—or I shall leave you, Mary."

The boxer looked worried for a minute. Then he grinned. "This isn't from my girl, Mary, it's from my wife."

A recruit reported to the Medical Officer stating that he could not eat. The M.O. inspected his teeth and tongue, then his throat and tonsils. Finding nothing wrong, he prodded the recruit in the stomach and back and asked if he had any pain at all.

"No, sir," replied the recruit.

"Well, I can't find anything wrong," said the M.O. "How do you feel yourself?"

"Quite O.K., sir."

"Then why on earth can't you eat?"

"Please, sir, I've lost my knife and fork."

"Above all," said the doctor, "you must eat more fruit, and particularly the skin of the fruit. The skin contains all the vitamins and vitamins. What, for a lack of fruit?"

"Well," was the reply, "they lost all their matches."

Highway accidents maim more than polio in Alberta

Eight times more people were maimed in auto accidents in Alberta last year than were crippled by polio while men and women drivers killed three and a half times as many people as tuberculosis, Premier E. C. Manning told the final session of the Premier's Highway Safety Conference.

The premier emphasized the extent to which death on Alberta's highways overshadowed deaths from epidemic disease yet was refused even equal interest or attention from the press and public.

"Recently 32 people were killed in the crash of a giant airliner," he said. "Automobiles killed twice that number of people in Canada every week but it did not produce the same sense of public shock."

"There will always be auto accidents. We have met here to declare an all-out war on this problem."

The patient looked gloomy. "Coconuts," he said.

A man walking down the street on a dark night passed an alley. Two thugs jumped on him, and though he put up a terrific fight, they got him down. After they searched him, they were amazed at the small sum of money they found in his pockets. "You mean you put up that fight for 67 cents?" they asked.

"Shucks, no," answered the victim. "I thought you were after the \$500 in my shoe."

A fat lady stepped on the scales, not knowing they were out of order. The indicator stopped at 75 pounds.

"Holy smoke!" exclaimed a drunk who watched her. "She's hollow!"

The village football team had played badly all the season, so it was a great surprise to one of their supporters when he learned that each player had been presented with pocket-lighter.

"Why were they given pocket-lighters?" he asked - a friend.

"Well," was the reply, "they lost all their matches."

Cut shows a typical drilling rig operating in the western Canada oil fields. The oil industry is spending approximately \$700,000 per day in exploratory drilling in the western provinces during 1954. Since the discovery of Leduc in 1947 over \$800 millions has been spent in this way, not counting the thousands of man-hours, lay gathering and trunk pipe line systems and expand refinery capacity.

In the Leduc field, it is not uncommon to see two wells, almost side by side within a few feet of each other, tapping two separate reefs however, one called D-2 zone and the other D-3 zone. D-2 is primarily a dissolved gas drive reservoir and must be pumped out. Pumps cost in the neighborhood of \$10,000 each, incidentally, and in this one field of operations there are 1,274 producing pumps. The D-3 well, however, will not require a pump and has sufficient natural pressure from the water and gas drive to force the oil through the carrying pipes and then to the tank locations.

The explanation is a simple one, there being two reefs, one above the other. The first drilling in this area resulted in D-2 being tapped when another test well in the same vicinity went right on through into D-3 resulting in the tremendous Leduc gusher which so set the oil world agog. Now you see the common sight of the two kinds of oil well side by side but tapping different reefs. D-2 is about 5,100 feet down in the earth and D-3 about 5,400 feet. The D-3 coral reefs are estimated to be about 275 million years old when the seas covered the plains.

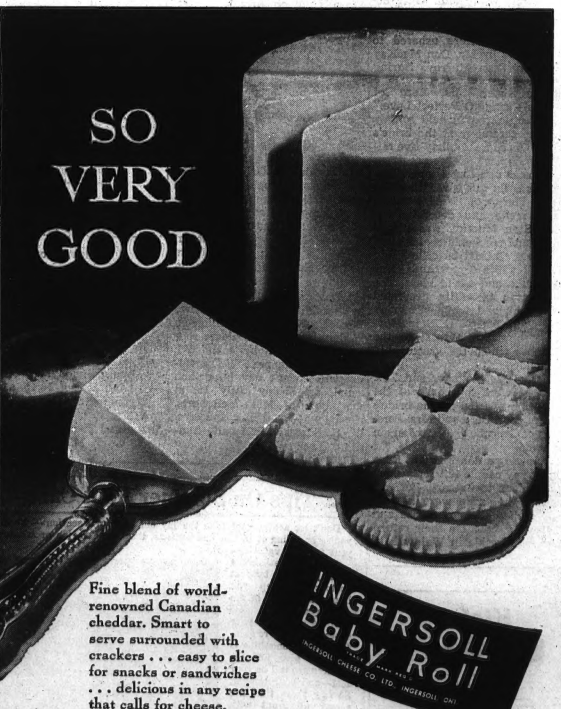
In addition to the D-2 and D-3 reefs, there is a third one named Blairmore, which is located at 4,500 feet. To date there are 724 wells tapping the D-2, 320 tapping D-3 and 30 tapping the Blairmore, all completed producing wells. There is an estimated recoverable reserve in the Leduc field of 290 million barrels of 36 to 42.0 degrees A.P.I. gravity "sweet" paraffinic base oil. By sweet is meant easier to refine than the "sour" variety found in some district such as the early finds in Saskatchewan and in the Lloydminster area. The average daily production of the 1,274 wells in the Leduc-Woodbine field is 51,800 barrels. The field is only 20 miles southwest of Edmonton and covers some 23,000 acres. 1953 production amounted to 21,360,478 barrels.

West of Leduc is the Golden Spike field which is peculiar in that the reservoir is about 600 feet thick, covering only about 1,100 acres. Here the recovery method is all solution gas drive and will require to be pumped for efficient recovery. The Golden

WRONG REAM
WOOLFORD, Alta.—Power service to this southern Alberta district was disrupted recently when a pair of swans flew into power lines and were electrocuted.

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OUR COMPLETE SHORT STORY—

Most as bad as a bee

By Chaz Lewis

THE BLAST from the twin horns of the green convertible jerked old Fernand Boileau around so quickly that he almost fell against the swarm of bees coming from the post. The moon-faced young driver, hat pushed back on his sandy mop of hair, cigarette dangling from the corner of his mouth, leaned across the convertible's window.

"Hi-yai, pop! Finding a parking place in this burg is like hunting the proverbial needle, ah?"

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Boileau could only stand and stare at the grinning insolence of the young fellow. "Ain't you got no sense, son... sneakin' you got hind a feller with that horn? An' these bees—you want to stir up these bees."

"Now don't get sore, pop. What are a few bees on a post?" "Well, I'll tell you what they are, young feller!" Boileau felt his heavily stubbled jaw begin to grind. "They're the silvers of silver scatterin' the honey among our fruit trees. They're the honey on a poor man's biscuit. They're sober, industrious, respected critters—that's what they are!"

"Put a stopper in it," grinned the young man, clambering out from under the convertible's steering wheel. "I'm not looking for a lecture, pop. Just a parking space, that's all."

"Well, you ain't exactly found the best spot in this burg," Boileau gritted slowly.

"You mean these little ol' bees?" The young man rocked back on his heels with laughter.

"Maybe it ain't just the bees only," Boileau went on stubbornly. "Maybe it's the—"

"You oldtimers are all alike. The young man's lip curled. "Go ahead... Tell me I'll have been swarming all over me, steering wheel when I get back."

"Maybe not on your steerin' wheel, young feller—but take that post they got all covered up. Now that post—"

"Look, pop," the young man slipped his burning cigarette butt into the boiling swarm of bees. "I wasn't born yesterday. Think I'm afraid of getting stung?"

Fernand Boileau couldn't help chuckling, standing there in the sunlight, staring from the young fellow and his bright green convertible to the post and its crawling blanket of bees. The youngster certainly was a cocky one.

"No, I guess you ain't afraid of gettin' stung," he drawled at last. "But maybe that's what's wrong with you youngsters. Won't take time to listen to an old feller like me."

"Trouble is—you guys always want to preach!" The young fellow rolled up the windows of the convertible and looked at "What you hanging around these bees for, anyway?"

"Ain't to get 'em hived up. Friend of mine has gone after a box."

"Can't see it," shrugged the young fellow.

"Me—I'm going around the corner to do some shopping. See you later if you're still nursing those bees."

"Lot of things you young feller can't see," chuckled Boileau. "Now if I was you, fer instance, I'd not—"

"Blah it to your friend, pop. Fernand Boileau had no time to answer. The young fellow was already out of hearing, his long legs eating up the street. Boileau sat down on the bumper of the convertible and dug out his pipe, shook his shaggy grey head. When his friend arrived with the box it didn't take long to get the bees packaged up.

"Take that post now," Boileau speculated. "Sure looks a heap different with all them bees off it eh?"

"A minute ago a feller wouldn't of knowned there was even a sign on that post," Boileau's friend agreed.

Fernand Boileau chuckled.

"Now take the young feller drivin' that green convertible—tried three times to tell him they was a No Parking sign under that swarm of bees. But I reckon it's goin' to take a policeman to show him a feller can sting himself sometimes most as bad as a bee."

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Kitchen Meditations
By JANE DALE

HITHER AND THITHER
I played basketball when I was young—
At fourteen years and over;
I journey'd to many a neighboring town.
And thought myself quite a rover.
Hither and thither I gaily went.
Until at last my green years were spent.

I married a farmer when I was young
And blithely accepted my fate.
It didn't fret me to be tied
down so.

To have to work early and late.
Hither and thither I dashed all day.
With hardly a moment to think of play.

My children are grown after turbulent years,
And have gone far away from home.
My one desire now is to live quietly.

And not o'er the country roam.
But hither and thither I journey about.
Helping each one of my children out.

Don't Pick Him Up



U.K. greatest potential source for new Manitoba industries

Greatest interest in opportunities for industrial development in Manitoba was found in the United Kingdom, where currency restrictions have recently been eased, stated Hon. Ron Turner, Minister of Industry and Commerce, upon his return from an eight-week industrial tour of the United Kingdom and the Continent.

Mr. Turner and his Deputy, R. E. Grose travelled some 15,000 miles. Their tour took them to eight countries, including the United States, United Kingdom, Holland, Belgium, France, Italy, Switzerland and Germany.

Mr. Turner stated that he had been assured by senior officials of the Bank of England that no difficulties would be encountered in obtaining approval for transfer of funds for worthwhile projects.

On the Continent, he said, industrialists in Holland, Italy and Germany showed greatest interest in opportunities of Manitoba. Present currency restrictions however, make it difficult for firms to transfer funds to Canada and the Minister said he did not look for much Canadian development from these countries for some time to come.

As a result of his overseas visit, Mr. Turner, announced that he would soon be making recommendations to the Manitoba Cabinet regarding the type of representation Manitoba should be maintaining overseas. Very little, he said, was known of Manitoba from the industry point of view.

Sovereignty over the Arctic islands north of Canada was transferred by Great Britain to Canada in 1980.

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Sask. farmer bags big lynx after chase over stubble fields

Bobcat or lynx aren't a very common animal in this neck of the woods, and thus J. J. Friesen, farmer three miles south of McMahon, was somewhat startled recently when he spotted a large specimen—of all places in stubble field nearby and at 8.30 in the morning. He immediately called his hired man and told him to keep his eye on the lynx while he drove hurriedly to the farmhouse and got his .303 rifle. He trailed and chased the animal about two miles over stubble fields, and then when near the road a dog appeared the animal raced for a powerline pole and climbed it. It finally came down and tried to make its escape across a field.

Mr. Friesen got two shots at it on the run, and then it took refuge behind another power pole and here he was able to get a good bead on it and destroyed it with one shot which went through the forehead. He brought the animal back to Swift Current in the trunk of his car and to the office of the Swift Current Sun where the above picture was taken. Seen is Mr. Friesen holding the bobcat by the legs and stretched out all its measures not too far from six feet.

Mr. Friesen stated he was going to take the animal to George Hooley, well known naturalist south of the city who has a large collection of mounted animals native to this country. Mr. Friesen said he personally had never heard of a bobcat being spotted in the area he lives in.

HEAVY WATERFOWL MORTALITY IN ALBERTA
One of the saddest duties performed by Ducks Unlimited Limited men in southern Alberta during 1953 was reporting waterfowl mortality caused by the vicious storms of early May. Early nesting species, principally the Mallard and Pintail, suffered heavily. Other species, including practically all the divers, did exceptionally well and the overall hatch proved quite good.

The boy was injured when a playmate accidentally knocked down an excavation flare, showering burning oil over James' clothing.

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Courageous boy scout wins badge

EDMONTON—The day he died, 13-year-old James Mathieson told his father: "I guess I'm not too good a scout. I can still smile but I can no longer whistle."

A Boy Scout law says: "A scout smiles and whistles under all difficulties." James was posthumously awarded the Cornwall Badge, scouting's top honor, for his courage during five days of great pain while in hospital suffering from first-degree burns. He died Sept. 11, 1952.

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2. PAN BUNS
Cut one portion of dough into 16 equal-sized pieces. Shape each piece into a smooth round ball and arrange in a greased 8-inch square cake pan. Grease tops. Cover and let rise until doubled in bulk. Bake in moderately hot oven, 375°, about 20 minutes. Split rolls and fill with salad or heated winners.

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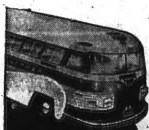
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Short circuits can cause fires! So take good care of electric appliance cords and plugs warns Miss Caroline Judson, Home Designing Specialist, Alberta Department of Agriculture. It can be a cheap form of fire insurance.

A common cause of failure on any lamp or electrical appliance is broken or crossed wires in an extension cord or plug. Repair it at once and you eliminate the danger of a short circuit and possible fire.

Miss Judson outlined a few suggestions for making cords last longer. They are as follows:

1. Don't pull cord to disconnect appliance, grasp the plug itself.
2. Don't place cords under radiators or pipes—heat dries and cracks the rubber insulation.
3. Don't run cords under rugs for they may be walked on or furniture may puncture the cord causing a short circuit.
4. Don't place cords in door jams for shutting the door squeezes the cord causing a short circuit.
5. Don't put tangled cords away or hang them over a nail—coil cord loosely and hang over a thick wooden peg or place in cool dry drawer.

These precautions don't cost anything in time or effort but they certainly can pay by preventing a short circuit and subsequent fire.

BANK CAUTIOUS ON BUSINESS RISE

MONTREAL — A recent upswing in business activity cannot be taken as an indication that the recession in Canada is at an end, the Bank of Montreal says in the June issue of the Business Review.

Fragmentary statistics for April and May indicate that orders received by industries have improved over their winter low, the publication says. However in many instances the improvement was seasonal and in some respects less than seasonal.

The business recession began its downward trend in the autumn of 1953 after climbing steadily since 1946.

The volume of industrial production declined more than seasonally during the first quarter of 1954.

The decline in business activity brought with it a more than seasonal decline in employment, the bank said. The effect on income was offset by a continued rise in wage rates.

One reason for discrepancies in Canadian and United States prices is that Canada has a 10 percent general sales tax and the United States has not.

Comparison: When people wonder how Canada needs immigration, ponder the fact that Holland and Belgium have more than 700 people per square mile and Canada has less than four.

Local News

The Church Vacation School sponsored by the Irma United Church will be held the second week in August. All Irma children are most welcome to attend. Mr. and Mrs. J. Craig are driving a new car.

At the Grandmother's Day sponsored by the Irma W.I. on July 8 there was a very good attendance of both Grandmothers and Great-Grandmothers. A program was arranged consisting of contests, a recitation by Carol Smallwood, duet, Betty Rae and Bobbie Ann Kirkman, and a solo by Mrs. H. Lewis. A picture was taken of all the grandmothers. The prize for the oldest grandmother was won by Mrs. L. A. Johnson. The grandmother with most grandchildren, Mrs. Congdon, grandmother with the youngest grandchild Mrs. D. Tate.

Have you your parade entry planned for Irma's big day on August 4?

The Trail Rangers are camping at Whitney Lake, north and east of Elk Point. Boys from Irma attending are Harold Loades, Hugh Inglis, Joe Rohrer, Harold Anquist, Jimmy Masson, Maurice Miller, Ian Inglis, Allan Symington, Wayne Pendleton and Allan Halverson. There are also eight boys from Jarrow at this camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Gwinn and Wayne and Jack Lehr spent a day last week at Amisk and Corston. Last Sunday they went to Elk Island Park for the day. Rev. Douglas McMurtry, Mrs. McMurtry and children of Worsely, Sask., are holidaying here with Rev. H. W. Inglis, Mrs. Inglis and family. Mrs. McMurtry is a sister of Mrs. Inglis. The Irma United Church choir and assisting artists performed the choir concert, previously given here, at Wainwright on the evening of July 6.

Miss Shirley Enger has been holidaying at her home here this past week.

Jack Peterson and Mr. and Mrs. Art Peterson are visiting with relatives at Irma.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Gultner and Ricky spent last Sunday at Lake Wabamun with Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Gultner.

Mrs. C. V. Larson has left Irma for a 3 months visit with her sisters and other relatives in Holt, Michigan.

Mr. Eric Dallow of Edmonton is visiting here at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Dallow.

Mrs. J. W. Matthews and girls left Irma early this week for a trip to the Calgary stampede and also to visit relatives at Daysland.

Mrs. T. Mackey and son Jimmie from B.C. have been visiting here at the P. E. Jones home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Johnson of Edmonton have been visiting here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Bacon.

Mrs. A. McEman and children returned to their home in Victoria, B.C., after visiting here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John G. Rae.

Miss Susie McKay who is taking a course on Social Service at Oliver spent last weekend at her home here.

Miss Shirley Mae Brown of Edmonton was also a week-end visitor here.

Attention all members of the Orange Lodge and friends. The L.O.B.A. ladies are planning to have a special Sunday service in the Irma United Church on Sunday, July 11. All Orangemen and friends are most welcome to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Gunn and daughter left for Edmonton on Sunday last driving a new car. Mr. Gunn will be marking exam papers while in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson of B.C., the former Mildred MacInroy, have been visiting here with the latter's aunt and uncle Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Larson and other relatives at Irma.

On July 1 the Irma ball team went to Bonnyville. We understand they registered one win and one loss.

Mr. and Mrs. Clumstad and family are holidaying at Grande Prairie.

The Alberta East Central Health Unit wishes to announce that the next well baby preschool clinic will be held in Jarrow on Tuesday, July 13, in the hall.

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